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LEGAL DEPARTMENT.

Para 2 of R.D. note at pages 165-166 ante.- Rules 13 and 14 of the Rules published in G.N., R.D. No. 4545/E/III, dated 25th January 1923 apply to proprietors of entertainments who avail themselves of the provisions of clause (a) or (b) of sub-section (2) of section 4 of the Bombay Entertainments Duty Act, 1923 and rules 15 and 16 apply to proprietors governed by clause (c) of the said section 4(2). The view taken by R.D. is correct. The reference to rules 15 and 16 in the Collector's letter at page 157 seems to be a mistake. If the Metro Cinema is granted the privilege of section 4(2)(b) and uses the machine for its own convenience, rules 13 and 14 will apply to it.

Para. 3 of R.D. note.- Rule 3 is already proposed to be amended by the draft notification at page 37 ante which was published for inviting objections. The addition proposed to be made in that rule would make the rule more liberal for the proprietors of the entertainments and does not require republication for inviting objections. The proposed amendment may be issued finally. A requisite draft notification is sent herewith for the purpose.

J.R.Dhurandhar. 11/11.
Additional Secretary to Govt.

U.R. to R.D.No.18852/B dt. 12th November 19[illegible]

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